2. The auction will commence at 2 P. M. on each day of sale, and if the sale is not completed on the same day, it will be continued on the next following day at the same hour.

3. The exclusive privilege above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder, subject to the confirmation of the Deputy Commissioner, who is at liberty to accept or reject the bid at his discretion. The accepted bid will represent the amount which is to be paid for the period of five months for the abovesaid privileges (*i. e.*, from 1st February 1902 to the 30th June 1902).

4. Parties intending to bid must attend either in person or by duly accredited agents, and no person will be permitted to bid either on his own behalf or on account of any one else, unless he deposits a sum of Rs. 50. The deposits made by the unsuccessful bidders will be returned at the close of the sale. Each successful bidder shall, at the close of the sale, credit into the Government Treasury of the taluk concerned, one-fourth of the total rental including the deposit already made. Should he fail to do so, the deposit will be forfeited and the exclusive privilege will be re-sold by the officer conducting the sale.

5. Re-sales effected under the above para will be at the risk of the defaulting bidder, who will forfeit all gain; and in the event of a loss by the re-sale, shall make good the deficiency between the total amount payable by him for the whole period under the terms of the original sale and the total amount payable by the successful bidder at the re-sale.

6. The lessee shall sign an agreement binding himself to observe the conditions below, and it should be executed within fifteen days from the date on which the confirmation of the sale may be intimated to him.

7. The balance of the lease amount and the local cess at one anna in the rupee on the whole sum shall be paid in full before the end of January 1902, failing which the lessee will forfeit the one-fourth sum already credited and also his claim to the produce; and the right of collecting the same is liable to be re-sold.

Conditions.

(1) To coppice all shoots, whether large or small, over one year old.
(2) To hold himself responsible to prevent the felling of tender stems by his servants or sub-contractors; that is, stems under one year old.
(3) To furnish a list of sub-contractors and mestris who may be appointed by them for the collection of bark in the different working circles, showing the names of storing kotis in each.
(4) The barked wood to be the property of the lessee.
(5) To keep accounts showing the quantity of the bark removed in accordance with the lease and to permit inspection of such accounts by the Deputy Commissioner or the District Forest Officer or any other Officer deputed by either of them.
(6) To provide passes for each cart-load of bark in such manner as may be laid down by the District Forest Officer.
(7) To remove out of the limits of the district, before the end of June 1902, all bark cut, collected or stored, in the several kotis of the district as well as railway stations.
(8) In the event of breach of any of the above conditions, the lease is liable to be cancelled, and all the bark collected and stored up to date to be confiscated, and the lessee will be further liable to be punished with a fine of Rs. 1,000.
(9) If by the lessee's or his agent's or servant's carelessness any injury is caused to the forest during the period of his lease, the amount of damage consequent on the injury will be made good by the lessee.

Y. SITARAMAIYA, for *Dy. Comr. Chitaldrug Dt.*

MISCELLANEOUS.

MYSORE DIVISION.

Notification, dated 19th December 1901.

Notice is hereby given that the Criminal Sessions for the Mysore District during the year 1902 will be held at Mysore on the dates hereunder mentioned:—

6th	January	1902, Monday.	4th	August	1902, Monday.
3rd	February	,, do	1st	September	,, do
3rd	March	,, do	16th	October	,, Thursday.
1st	April	,, Tuesday.	3rd	November	,, Monday.
2nd	June	,, Monday	1st	December	,, do
7th	July	,, do			

Magistrates who are empowered to commit cases to Sessions are hereby directed to bind over the parties and witnesses in cases which may be committed by them during the year 1902, to appear before this Court at Mysore on the dates which may be ascertained by the Magistrates from time to time in communication with this Court, reporting full particulars as required by the Chief Court's Circular Letter No. 123 (Criminal), dated the 17th December 1895. The District Magistrate of Mysore is requested to make the usual Police arrangements during the Sessions.

B. TIRUMALACHAR, *Sessions Judge.*